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Amendments to the Claims:

The following Listing of Claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

- 1. (currently amended) A brightness enhancing film comprising a linear array of regular prisms wherein the prisms are prepared from the reaction product of a polymerizable composition consisting essentially of:
- a) at least 60 wt-% of a first monomer comprising a major portion of 2-propenoic acid, (1-methylethylidene)bis[(2,6-dibromo-4,1-phenylene)oxy(2-hydroxy-3,1-propanediyl)] ester;
- b) 5 wt-% to 30 wt-% of a cross linking agent selected from pentaerythritol tri(meth)acrylate, trimethylolpropane tri(meth)acrylate, and mixtures thereof;
 - c) phenoxyethyl (meth)acrylate; and
 - d) optionally a photoinitiator;

wherein the polymerizable composition is solvent-free.

2-5 (cancelled)

6.(previously presented) The brightness enhancing film of claim 1 wherein the phenoxyethyl (meth)acrylate is present in the polymerizable composition in an amount up to about 35 wt-%.

7-12 (cancelled)

- 13. (currently amended) A brightness enhancing film comprising a linear array of regular prisms wherein the prisms are prepared from a method comprising preparing a polymerizable composition comprising the reaction product of
 - a) at least 60 wt-% of a monomer comprising a major portion having the structure

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wherein R1 is independently hydrogen or methyl, and L is -CH₂CH(OH)CH₂-;-and

b) 5 wt-% to 30 wt-% of a crosslinking agent comprising at least three (meth)acrylate functional groups;

wherein the polymerizable composition is solvent-free;

depositing the polymerizable composition onto a molding surface to fill cavities of the molding surface; and

curing the polymerizable composition between a preformed substrate and the molding surface.

- 14. (original) The brightness enhancing film of claim 13 wherein the first monomer consists of the reaction product of Tetrabromobisphenol A diglycidyl ether and (meth) acrylic acid.
- 15. (original) The brightness enhancing film of claim 13 wherein the crosslinking agent is a liquid at ambient temperature.
- 16. (original) The brightness enhancing film of claim 15 wherein the crosslinking agent is selected from the group consisting pentaerythritol tri(meth)acrylate, pentaerythritol tetra(meth)acrylate, trimethylolpropane tri(meth) acrylate, and mixtures thereof.

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17. (original) The brightness enhancing film of claim 13 further comprising at least one monofunctional (meth)acrylate diluent.

- 18. (original) The brightness enhancing film of claim 17 wherein the diluent is a liquid at room temperature.
- 19. (original) The brightness enhancing film of claim 18 wherein the monofunctional (meth)acrylate diluent comprises phenoxyethyl (meth)acrylate, benzyl (meth)acrylate, and mixtures thereof.
- 20. (original) The brightness enhancing film of claim 18 wherein the polymerizable composition is free of methacrylate functional monomer.
- 21. (withdrawn) An article comprising the brightness enhancing film of claim 13 and a second optical film in contact with the brightness enhancing film.
- 22. (withdrawn) The article of claim 21 wherein the second optical film is a diffuser.
- 23. (withdrawn) The article of claim 21 wherein the second optical film is an absorbing polarizer.
- 24. (withdrawn) The article of claim 21 wherein the second optical film is a reflective polarizer.
- 25. (withdrawn) The article of claim 21 wherein the second optical film comprises a prismatic structure.
- 26. (previously presented) A polymerizable resin composition comprising
 - a) at least 60 wt-% of a monomer having a major portion having the structure

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wherein R1 is independently hydrogen or methyl, and L is -CH₂CH(OH)CH₂-; and

b) 5 wt-% to 30 wt-% of a crosslinking agent comprising at least three (meth)acrylate functional groups;

wherein the polymerizable composition is solvent-free.

- 27. (withdrawn) An optical material comprising the reaction product of claim 26.
- 28. (withdrawn) The optical material of claim 26 wherein the material is a film.
- 29. (withdrawn) The optical material of claim 26 wherein the film comprises a microstructured surface.
- 30. (previously presented) The brightness enhancing film of claim 13 wherein the brightness enhancing film comprises an optical layer comprising a linear array of regular right prisms comprising the reaction product.

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31. (previously presented) The brightness enhancing film of claim 13 wherein the polymerizable resin comprises photoinitiator and the polymerizable composition is cured by exposure to an ultraviolet light source.

32-33. (cancelled)